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WHY DON'T YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT I MEAN?

"To Understand & Be Understood" is the purpose of the weekend workshop taking place at Concordia University's Centre for Human Relations & Community Studies, 2085 Bishop street, from Friday evening, Feb. 18 to Sunday evening, Feb. 20.

This workshop is intended for students and teachers, the public at large and education specialists alike. It aims to teach people how to make themselves better understood and how to understand other people's framework. It compares expectations and value systems, and it explores the similarities as well as the differences in people as a tool to understanding.

Raye Kass, Assistant Professor of Applied Social Science and Program Director of the Centre, will lead the three-day workshop. She specializes in the fields of human relations and counseling; her consulting work has been with schools and professional associations.

"To Understand & Be Understood" will be conducted in the form of a teach-in where participants are given the opportunity to test out a variety of inter-personal communication skills. Observation and demonstration exercises, role play, theory input with practice and discussion sessions, films and video will be used.

Registration is limited; minimal fee for the weekend is \$50 per person. Applications accepted until Feb. 11 at 879-4191.

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For further information, call 879-4191.

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